

REMARKS

Prior to examination on the merits, applicant's representative respectfully requests the entering of the above amendments. In particular, applicant has submitted replacement drawings for Figures 3, 4, 6, and 7. The amendments to the drawings include the correction of the dual use of reference numeral 180 by adding reference numerals 181a-181d to the drawings and the corresponding portions of the specification. The orientation of the helmet in Figure 6 has been corrected to correspond to the original numbering of the same. No new matter has been introduced by these amendments.

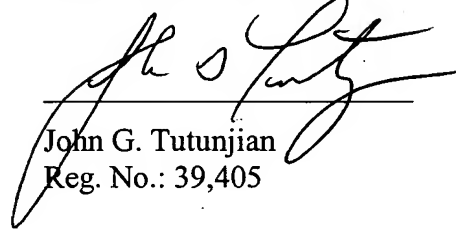
Applicant has amended the specification to correct and clarify the same. In particular, the specification amendments include: clarifying the brief description of the Figures by adding details about the actual views presented with the original application; and correcting the text of the description to correspond with the amended reference numerals in the drawings and the originally presented claims of the application. Support for these amendments can be found in the drawings and in the claims as originally submitted. No new matter has been introduced by this amendment.

It is believed that no additional fees or charges are currently due. However, in the event that any additional fees or charges are required at this time in connection with the application, they may be charged to Applicant's representative's Deposit Account No. 50-1433.

The Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned at (516) 883-3868 in the event there are any informalities remaining in this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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IN THE DRAWINGS:

Applicant submits replacement drawings sheets for Figures 3, 4, 6 and 7. The amendments to the drawings include the correction of the dual use of reference numeral 180 by adding reference numerals 181a-181d to the drawings and the corresponding portions of the specification. The orientation of the helmet in Figure 6 has been corrected to correspond to the original numbering of the same. No new matter has been introduced by these amendments.